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437	Frewin & Co	Keelang
296	E. Vincent & Co	
431	E. Vincent & Co	

AMOY.

In port 12th May, 1873.		
124	Pasedag & Co	
318	Pasedag & Co	
201	Pasedag & Co	
220	Pasedag & Co	
111	Pasedag & Co	
280	Boyd & Co	
318	Pasedag & Co	
198	Tait & Co	Saigon
159	Boyd & Co	

FOOCHOW.

In port on 9th May, 1873.		
436	Master	
343	Master	
270	Master	Tientsin
850	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Shanghai
275	Master	
159	John Silverlock & Co.	

part on 10th May, 1873.

of the numerous steamers, jugs,
and, and receiving hulks employed
are not included in this

231	Morris, Lewis & Co
516	Master
178	P. Tellerne
610	Chapman, King & Co
319	J. H. Mackie
391	Wm. Postau & Co
411	Master
515	Wm. Postau & Co
415	Master
540	Jardine, Matheson & Co
423	Morris, Lewis & Co
947	Auc. Heard & Co
537	Frazier & Co
300	Morris, Lewis & Co
313	Frazier & Co
411	Olyphant & Co

YOKOHAMA.

part on 26th April, 1873.

572	P. M. Co
536	J. L. O. Eytton
430	H. Granger
189	Smith, Baker & Co
524	P. M. Co
1016	Walsh, Hall & Co
400	M. J. B. N. Hegt.
541	Chinese
337	Order
363	H. Cook
370	Captain
307	Shaw & Co
365	M. Verney
307	Order
329	Captain
1537	Wilks & Robinson
1630	P. & O. Co
550	Smith, Baker & Co

NINIA HARBOUR.

Tons.	Consignee.
563	Order
246	F. Munoz
373	Smith Bell & Co
548	J. Lara
648	Peck, Hubbell & Co
106	F. Reyes
504	S. Robido
402	M. Nieste
573	M. Fickford & Co

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